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Applicant(s) : RALPH M. STEINMAN, ET AL.

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For : METHOD FOR IN VITRO PROLIFERATION OF DENDRITIC CELL PRECURSORS AND THEIR USE TO PRODUCE IMMUNOGENS

Group Art Unit : 1651

Examiner : L. Lankford, Jr.

ATTENTION: BOX ISSUE FEE
ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION TO ACCEPT PHOTOGRAPHS AS DRAWINGS
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.84(b)

Sir:

Petition is hereby made to accept photographs for Figures 12A-12D, 13A-13D, 14A-14D, 19A-19E, 21A-21C, 22A-22D and 24 in the above-identified application. All of these photographs, except Figures 21A-21C are submitted herewith as required under 37 C.F.R. §1.84(b)(ii).

Figures 12A-12D are black and white photomicrographs of stained developing dendritic cells that have been exposed to latex and carbon.

Figures 13A-13D are black and white photomicrographs of dendritic cells exposed to BCG. Cells are double-labelled to show dendritic cell and BCG antigens.

Figure 14A-14D are electron microscopic photographs of dendritic cells which have phagocytosed BCG.

Figures 19A-19E are black and white photomicrographs of developing cultured dendritic cells.

Figure 21A-21C are also black and white photomicrographs showing the development of cultured dendritic cells. Applicants request that the original Figure 21 photomicrograph submitted with the application as filed be used as the formal drawing.

Figures 22A-22D are photomicrographs of dendritic cell cultures stained with anti-HCA-DR (left) or anti-CD86 (right).

Figure 24 is an electron micrograph of dendritic cells grown from normal adult blood mononuclear cells.

Applicants respectfully request that the black and white photographs of the Figures identified above be accepted because Applicants believe black and white photographs are the best medium with which to represent the data shown in these Figures.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the required fee according to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(h) and any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit

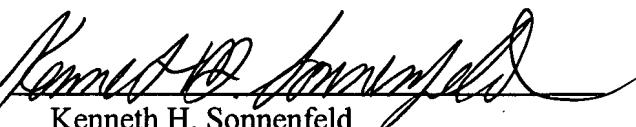
Account 13-4500, Order No. 2016-4000US3. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS
ATTACHED.

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